

REMARKS

In the Office Action issued November 3, 2008, there was an objection to the specification because there was incorrect identification of the figure described by paragraph 14. In addition, there were incorrect recitations of reference numbers in paragraph 14. Claims 14, 15 and 20 were objected to because of informalities in the claim language. Claims 14, 15, and 20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph as failing to comply with the written description requirement. Claims 1, 3, 4, 6-11, 14, 15 and 18-20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to point out and distinctly claim what the applicants regards as the invention. Lastly, claim 20 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 101 as being directed to non-statutory subject matter.

Claims 1, 3, 4, 6-11, 14, 15 and 18-20 are currently pending in the application. The Applicants would like to thank the Examiner for indicating that the subject matter of claims 1, 3, 4, 6-11, 14, 15 and 18-20 would be allowable if rewritten to overcome the above identified objections and rejections. The Applicants have amended claims 1, 6, 7, 14, 15, and 18-20 to overcome the objections and rejections specified above. Accordingly, claims 1, 3, 4, 6-11, 14, 15 and 18-20 are now in condition for allowance.

Each of the claims now pending in this application is believed to be in form for allowance. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration of this case and early issuance of the Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any insufficient fees or credit any overpayment associated with this application to Deposit Account No. 50-4545 (5231-155-US01)

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing, all of the Examiner's rejections to the claims are believed to be overcome. The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and issuance of a Notice of Allowance for all the claims remaining in the application. Should the Examiner feel further communication would facilitate prosecution, he is urged to call the undersigned at the phone number provided below.

Respectfully Submitted,

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